

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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APPLICANT: John Slabich, et al.  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**  
**MAILED NOVEMBER 28, 2006**

Dear Commissioner:

Applicant is in receipt of the Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment mailed November 28, 2006. This Notice gives Applicant a one month shortened statutory period in which to reply. Thus, this response is being timely submitted.

This Notice indicated that when amending the claims, each claim must be identified with the proper status identifier, and the status of non-elected claims should include the status identifier "Withdrawn" or "Withdrawn-currently amended". A corrected set of claims is provided below.